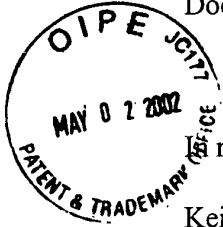


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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated December 3, 2001, now due to expire March 3, 2002, be extended for two month(s) and set to expire on May 3, 2002.

Please charge the extension fee of \$400.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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